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Special Services, Church of the Nazarene, Friday to Sunday

Special services will be held at the Church of the Nazarene, Hamlin, Texas, beginning, Friday night and continuing over Sunday, Oct. 3rd, Rev. and Mrs. W. H. Ashcraft, of Rochester, Minn., Nationally known evangelists and lecturers, will have charge of the services.

The pastor feels that these very fine people cannot be too highly recommended to the people of this community. Mrs. Ashcraft, is a forceful speaker and a profound scholar.

Some of the leading subjects Mrs. Ashcraft is likely to use are as follows:—"The World's Greatest Menace,"—"Christianity or Communism, Which,"—"Red Teachings in Our Schools,"—"How Communism Treats Women."



They will also bring a delightful gospel in special songs.

The local Church and the pastor are very anxious to have the members and friends of other denominations to hear these fine workers during the week-end. You will be delighted.

W. F. RUTHERFORD, Pastor.

Lubbock, Tex., Sept. 28.—Paul White of Hamlin, senior journalism student at Texas Technological College, was elected president of the Senior class at a student convocation recently. He has also been appointed to the student publications committee by Maxine Fry, President of the Student Council.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Teague and Miss Pearl Hudson, of the Bryant-Link Company, spent two days this week in the Dallas Markets selecting ready-to-wear and other winter merchandise for their store.

Mrs. W. E. Newsom returned Thursday, from Abilene, where she had visited her daughter, Miss Lucille who is a student in McMurry College.

Henry—What would you do, dear, if I should die?
Mrs. Peck—I should go nearly crazy
Henry—Would you marry again?
Mrs. Peck—I said nearly crazy.

See this thrilling
First Love
pattern with
REVELATION CHEST
The pattern of the year—deep etched, with a raised motif heretofore found only in "special-order" plate or sterling. Exceeds women who see "First Love" wants it. Only \$32.50 for this 26-piece set.

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METHODIST CHURCH

We will have our regular services Sunday. Sunday School at 9:45. Preaching at eleven. The Leagues meet at seven. Preaching at 7:45. We have only seven Sundays now until conference. There is much to be done. In order to close out the year as it should be, it will be necessary for each of us to do our best. Our finances are in good shape. We are a little behind on the conference collections. If you have not paid yours please do so as early as possible. We should have twenty more join the church on profession of faith. We can if we will work at the task diligently.

I wish to take this method of thanking everyone for your help in the revival meeting. While we did not reach our goal. Yet much good was accomplished. And we believe seed were sown that will bear fruits in weeks and months and years to come.

We especially appreciate the hearty cooperation given us from the other denominations. May God's richest blessings ever rest upon each of you.

Sincerely,
H. W. HANKS,

WEST TEXAS FAIR

ABILENE.—Five special days, honoring counties and West Texas organizations, have been set aside by the West Texas Free Fair, October 2 to 9.

A schedule of the special days follows: Monday, Oct. 4th: Opening Day.

Tuesday, Oct. 5: Texas Cotton Festival. Opening Day Royal Cotton Parade—Mitchell, Nolan, Howard Scurry County Day—Hardin—Simmons University Day.

Wednesday, Oct. 6: Texas Cotton Festival Coronation Day.—West Texas Rural School Day.—4-H Club and Future Farmer Day.—Fisher, Haskell, Jones, Knox and Stonewall County Day.

Thursday, Oct. 7: West Texas Veterans Day.—Abilene and Taylor County Day.—Abilene Christian College Day.—Coleman, Runnels and Coke County Day.

Friday, Oct. 8: Abilene Public School Day.—McMurry College Day.—Central West Texas Oil Association Day. Callahan, Shackelford, Eastland Throckmorton, Stephens County Day.

Saturday, Oct. 9: Traveling Men's Association Day.—West Texas Business and Professional Womens Day.

H. D. CLUBS TO RALLY AT LUEDERS

Jones County Home Demonstration Club women, their families and friends will hold a Rally Day at Lueders, October 6th.

In the morning, Mrs. High, florist of Stamford, will speak on "Yards," the delegates to the Texas Home Demonstration Association at San Antonio will give their reports, and tufted bedspreads and woolen comforts will be discussed and exhibited.

W. B. Teague is in Stephenville attending John Tarlton College. He enrolled in the Freshman class at the beginning of the school year, but the Herald did not learn of his going until this week. We are glad to add him to the list of Hamlin college folk.

Dr. L. S. Magee who has been in the Stamford Hospital for medical treatment for two weeks, was able to return to his home Monday. He is reported to be convalescing nicely and will soon be able to be up and going again.

Too much attention has been paid to making education attractive by smoothing the path as compared with inducing strenuous voluntary effort.—A. L. Lowell.

The fool needs only an opportunity to tell you he is one.

FIRE PREVENTION WEEK PROCLAIMED BY GOV. ALLRED

TO ALL WHOM THESE PRESENTS SHALL COME:

Fire Prevention being one of the prime factors in the preservation and safeguarding of human life, culture and property, it is not only fitting that special significance should be given to the time set aside for its nation wide observance.

The policy of Fire Prevention should be practiced by every citizen throughout the year, but to call attention to its national importance, a week has been selected for its special study by all.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, JAMES V. ALLRED, Governor of the State of Texas, do hereby set aside and proclaim the week of October 3 to October 9—FIRE PREVENTION WEEK in Texas, and I urge its observance by the citizens of Texas, particularly in the schools of this State, so that our children may be trained in the principles of Fire Prevention.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto signed my name officially and caused the Seal of State to be impressed hereon at Austin, this 9th of September, A. D. 1937.

JAMES V. ALLRED,
Governor of Texas.

FIRE PREVENTION TIPS TIMELY

FIRE PREVENTION WEEK IS OCTOBER THIRD TO NINTH

Now is the time to give attention to chimneys, flues and fire places. They should be inspected for any defects prior to their coming into use in the cold weather. Gas explosions due to defective appliances and piping must be forestalled and will be if an inspection is made of the piping and appliances in the houses in our city.

Remember that fire losses have a direct bearing upon the fire insurance premiums to be collected, and just in the ratio that there is an active, wide awake interest taken by the authorities responsible for such things in the prevention of fires through reminding the public that it should keep its premises cleaned up of all rubbish and litter that it should have inspection made of its piping and heating appliances, and in proportion to the interest that is taken to educate the public and keep them "FIRE PREVENTION CONSCIOUS."

LET'S MAKE FIRE PREVENTION A REALITY IN TEXAS!
Olin Culberson,
Secy., S. F. & F. M. Asso. Texas.

Mrs. J. C. Blanton and daughter, Mrs. Oran Teague were called to Plainview, Thursday night on account of the death of Mrs. Blanton's brother, W. C. Randolph. Mr. Randolph was a former Jones County citizen and had many friends here who will regret to learn of his death. Mrs. Blanton and Mrs. Teague returned home Sunday.

Mrs. Will Johnson, of Eunice, New Mexico, was here from Friday until Sunday visiting her mother, Mrs. R. M. Hudson and family.

P. W. Goodgame, one of this County's best young farmers visited the Herald Saturday and left the "batwing" for the Herald till the end of Sept. 1938. Thanks P. W.

B. HASEN ON SICK LIST

All this week B. Hassen has been a very sick man. He has not been feeling well for several weeks and thought his trouble was indigestion but this week he became so ill that he was carried to a hospital and the physicians have ordered him to remain quiet for a month at least. So much company called the first day that it became necessary that this be curtailed at least for the next few days. His condition will likely improve if care is exercised. Mr. Hassen is proprietor of the B. Hassen Dry Goods Store.

COLORADO WOLVES WHIP HAMLIN PIPERS

Friday night, September 24, the Hamlin Pied Pipers played the Colorado Wolves a good game of football on the Colorado field. Although the Hamlin boys played hard they were routed out by the Wolves with a score of 26 to 0.

For many of the boys, playing a night game under bright lights was an entirely new experience, and some of them appeared to be confused. However, they put up a good fight and they are to be congratulated on the "spirit" which they show in all games.

Outstanding players in the Colorado game were: J. V. Walraven, as tackle and Morrison Nicholson as line plunger. Bill Scott did well in catching punts from Colorado.

The football boys need co-operation from the merchants of Hamlin. If every man were as interested as C. C. Prater and Everett Townley, the boys would fairly "go to town." The boys and Coach Sealey greatly appreciate the interest of these men.

This afternoon, October 1, the Pipers meet the Aspermont Hornets at Aspermont for a "nip and tuck" game. Everyone is urged to go, and help the boys bring home a victory. —Reporter.

PURCHASE REGISTERED PIGS FUTURE FARMER MEMBERS

The Hamlin Future Farmers of America Chapter is getting started well on breeding projects. Lewis Tidwell will buy two registered Hampshire gilts. Redmund Switzer will purchase one, and Lee Greenway will purchase a registered Hampshire boar. Several of the boys are buying grade Hampshire sow pigs to use as breeding projects. Some of the members will purchase Berkshire breeding stock. Most of the boys will use self-feeders for their calves sheep, and pigs. Protein supplement will be used in all the rations for the thirty-one pigs which will be put on feed this week. —Reporter.

NOTICE— NEED FOR OLD CLOTHES

Texas Relief program needs some old clothes that can be renovated into wearable garments for this winter will you not look over your wardrobe and find all the things you cannot wear and DONATE them to this cause? Girl Scouts will call at your door, so please be ready to give everything you cannot use.

ELVA GREENWAY,
Supervisor W. F. A. Sewing Room.

Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Bessire and little daughter, Emma Earline, of Kilgore, are enjoying a two weeks vacation in different parts of the state with relatives, and will also visit the Carlsbad Caverns. They were accompanied by Miss La Verne Bessire. Mr. Bessire has been with the Sun Oil Company for eleven years.

The father was introducing his family of boys to the visiting Governor.

"Seventh boy," exclaimed the Governor. "And all Republicans, I suppose."

"All but one," said the father proudly. "They're all Republicans but John, the little rascal. He got to readen."

W. H. Ely, of Hearne, was here the past week visiting Mr. and Mrs. O. G. Ebert and Mr. and Mrs. S. C. Ferguson and family.

Folks Are Funny

By E. V. White, Dean,
Texas State College for Women



Some people get tired when they see others work.

W. P. A. OFFICE OPENS IN HAMLIN

J. T. Johnson, Area Engineer, of Big Spring, for the Hamlin district of six counties arrived this week and started the arrangement of his office in the Scales Building over the Model Grocery.

Miss Virginia Miller of Plainview office assistant is present and in a few days the government's part of the Works Progress Administration will be under way.

Other members of the office force will spend half-time in Hamlin and the other half in Spur.

These people will find "Friendly Hamlin" a good place in which to live.

Mr. Johnson is a married man and he and his wife and little son, J. T. Jr. have rooms at the Byrd Apartments.

HAMLIN SEWING ROOM MAKES REPORT

Report of Hamlin Sewing Room
Jan 13—Aug. 27
WPA FUND

Amount paid for Labor	-----	\$3894.32
Amount paid for Supervision	-----	555.00
Amount paid for materials	-----	823.77
Amount paid for bindings, (thread, buttons, etc.)	-----	41.87
Equipment	-----	24.00
TOTAL amt. by WPA	-----	5338.76
No. garments made	-----	4144
No. yds material used	-----	6317

SPONSOR'S CONTRIBUTION

Rent and Utilities	-----	\$151.37
Sewing machines (4) by City	-----	62.62
TOTAL	-----	\$213.99
Unit cost per garment from WPA Fund	-----	\$1.28
Unit cost per garment from Sponsor's Fund	-----	.05

The work of the Hamlin Sewing Room provides work for 24 women who are heads of families, their earnings averaging \$21.00 per month, providing food and drugs for from 2 to 9 children and sick and disabled husbands. The garments made in this room provide clothing for the relief people of Hamlin and vicinity, which are distributed by the County Welfare Workers of Jones County.

—ELVA GREENWAY, Supervisor.

Kurt Schoemann spent Monday and Tuesday in the Dallas Markets buying fall merchandise for the Strauss Dry Goods Company.

MORE COTTON LAST YEAR THAN THIS

Not many would believe it, but up to Sept. 16, 1937, Jones County had ginned several thousand bales less than the same date 1936.

Sept. 16, 1936 -----11,897 bales
Sept. 16, 1937, ----- 7370 bales

HAMLIN GINS PILE

LOTS OF BALES

Summing up the grand total of Hamlin Gins the figure says 3320 bales. This for four gins here.

Neinda is a part of the Hamlin Cotton report and the Farmers Gin at that place have a total of 1480 up to 4:00 p. m. Thursday.

This gives a total of 4800 in this end of the County.

But bear in mind this report for the county is just to Sept 16, and doubtless by the 30th it will be around 30,000 bales.

IMPORTANT COTTON NOTICE

Original buyers receipts for all cotton sold from the 1937 crop on or before Sept. 15, 1937, must be mailed or delivered in person to the County Office not later than Sept. 30, 1937. Buyer's receipts for cotton sold after Sept. 15, 1937, must be mailed or delivered in person to the County Office not later than fifteen days after the date of sale.

Producer should file buyer's receipts, or Government form when it is available, in chronological order with respect to EVERY sale from the 1937 cotton crop which is made prior to July 1st, 1938. This is necessary in order that evidence of sale may be available on cotton in excess of 65 per cent of the producer's base production if it develops that funds are available to make payment on a percentage of such excess. —County Agent.

A NEW DAUGHTER

Mr. and Mrs. Nathan Webb, of Albany are announcing the arrival of a seven pound daughter at the Hendrick Memorial Hospital in Abilene, Monday, September 27. Mrs. Webb, before her marriage, was Miss Gladys Harris, daughter of Mrs. Mattie Harris, formerly of Hamlin.

We can advance and develop democracy but little faster than we can advance and develop the average level and knowledge within the democracy. That is the problem that confronts modern educators.—Samuel Gompers.

Attention Farmers

Handle your Government Loan Cotton through the West Texas Cotton Growers Association.

We make payment on Compress Receipts and Samples without delay.

See me at my office or contact your Local Gin Manager for details.

R. S. HILL,
Licensed Classer

Office over Waggoner Pharmacy
HAMLIN, TEXAS

West Texas Cotton Growers Assn.

The Hamlin Herald

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ENTERED AT THE POSTOFFICE OF HAMLIN, TEXAS, FOR TRANSMISSION THROUGH THE MAILS AS SECOND CLASS MATTER.

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It is generally conceded any town is as clean as its citizen wants it to be—look your town over and see if you are willing to have this said of you?

Last week in a paper in another section of our state an editorial stressed the fact that the town should be cleaned up for "Fair Week" because visitors were expected to come—But we say HAMLIN should be "cleaned up" for HAMLIN PEOPLE because we are the ones who live here, and are most affected by the filth and trash that has been allowed to accumulate in and around OUR TOWN.

Recently we heard a prominent citizen say, "It is my duty as a citizen of this town to help enforce the law and I intend to do so." Would not Hamlin be a better place to live if every citizen felt that way?

SAFETY NOTES

(By Pontiac Chief)

Signal the man behind—When slowing up, when turning corners, when coming to a stop—He is not a mind reader.

Don't count too much on the common sense of the other fellow—No one is 100 per cent alert at all times.

Use more horse sense and less horse power—Don't create hazard by excessive speed.

Drivers who think give street cars the right of way—They run on rails only and can't turn out of your way to avoid hitting you—Don't cut in ahead of one.

The man who strives to educate himself—and no one else can educate him—must win a certain victory over his own nature. He must learn to smile at his dear idols, analyze his every prejudice, scrap if necessary his fondest and most consoling belief, question his pre-suppositions, and take his chances with the truth—Everett Dean Martin.

Leslie Burleson of Rochester, Texas spent the week-end with relatives, the Bessie families.

MRS. J. P. LAMAR, OLD TIMER RENEWS TIES ON HAMLIN

Below is a letter from one of the first neighbors that the Herald family had after coming to Hamlin in 1914. Her letter shows how completely one may let the old home town slip when not hearing from it from week to week. We reproduce Mrs. Lamar's letter, and follow it with additional comment.

Tolleson, Arizona, Sept. 22, 1937. Editor of Hamlin Paper:

Please find enclosed one dollar to pay for the Paper. I don't know if Mr. Pope still edits the Paper and if it is still the Hamlin Herald, but anyway, please send the paper to MRS. J. P. LAMAR, Rt. 1, Tolleson, Ariz.

Dear Mrs. Lamar: The Herald takes especial pleasure in answering your very interesting and welcome letter, not only to show our appreciation to our good old time neighbor and friend, but to let your friends of Hamlin know of your interest in our city and its people.

Yes, Mrs. Lamar, the Paper is still "The Hamlin Herald" and the "Popes" are still living and enjoying life. Our minds go back 23 years ago when you and your husband and children were prominent in the affairs of Hamlin. We take a delight in placing your name on our list of readers, and we trust that as the weeks go along many interesting and enjoyable article will appear for your pleasure.

So many changes have come in Hamlin since the days you resided here, so many of our old time neighbors have gone on in death, or moved to other places, so many improvements have been made that contributes to a solid town till you would have to be "guided" about should you visit Hamlin. The only thing, really that has not changed is the water situation, we still need more water—nothing is so welcome as a flood of good soft rain water.

The fellow who insists on starting at the top ought to get a job digging wells.

GOV. ALLRED SAYS RAISE MORE MONEY

HIS MESSAGE TO LEGISLATURE

AUSTIN, Sept. 27.—Warning the Legislature in joint session Monday of "false prophets" who declare additional revenues are not needed, Governor Allred urged the members "to carry out the people's program" and vote taxes to finance old age assistance, aid to needy blind, dependent children and the teachers' retirement act.

"It's a self-evident fact there is not enough money in the old age assistance fund to adequately provide for our needy old folks," the Governor said. "Unless some additional money is put into this fund by January 1st, they are going to suffer even more. You and I are either for or against adequate and additional funds for the old people. I am for it! Where do you stand?"

"There is no dispute whatever that not a single penny has been provided for the blind, for dependent and neglected children, or for our share of the teachers' retirement act. The Texas people have made their wishes known at the ballot box. You and I must meet this challenge with action, or stand indicted for breaking faith with the people."

"Let me caution you against those who say there is no necessity for additional taxes, who denounce old age assistance as a dole. Whether they know it or not, those who say these things are but playing into the hands of selfish interests, of haughty men who think that because they have acquired great wealth they should be given special privileges. Although able to pay, they are unwilling to bear their share of the burden."

"It's easy in an 'off-election' year for organized powerful groups to propagandize members of the Legislature to the effect that we do not need any new taxes; when they know, you know, we do. It's easy for those who are basking in luxury and ease to say that 'everything's all right' and that we need no new taxes for those in want."

"These people had just as well understand here and now that there is not going to be any turning back. The people have ordered this social security program. Since certain reactionary forces insist that we do not need any new taxes for these purposes, I take my stand with the old folks, with the underprivileged children, with the blind, and with those who have suffered and now suffer social injustices. For them I shall continue to fight."

The Governor said that the "people's social security program" needed a total of \$6,926,000.00 of new revenue. Of this total, the Governor recommended two million dollars annually for old age assistance, a million and a half dollars for aid to dependent children, and three hundred thousand dollars for aid to the blind. Approximately one and a half million dollars annually was estimated as the state's portion of the teachers' retirement fund. He said the state owed \$1,626,000.00 on past due old age assistance warrants.

The deficit of the general revenue fund, according to the Governor, exceeded fifteen million dollars and would be increased to twenty million at the end of the fiscal year.

For solution to the tax problem the Governor pointed to his recommendations for increased natural resource taxes; franchise taxes; taxes on the earnings of pipeline companies, utilities and other corporations; and income taxes. He reiterated his opposition to a general sales tax.

The Texas Planning Board's public health committee has enlisted the aid of the State Department of Education in its drive to stamp out preventable, infectious and parasitic diseases. Teachers and students will be taught the fundamentals of good health and the proper measures which should be taken to prevent epidemics.

Less than one third of the State of Texas has been accurately mapped, according to the Texas Planning Board's mapping committee which is now engaged in devising means of obtaining an accurate map of the state.

Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Edwards and daughter, Miss Anna Beth of Dallas are guests at the home of their parents, Dr. and Mrs. J. T. Bynum.

LONE STAR GAS OFFERS PRIZES IN PHOTO CONTEST

A novel contest for amateur photographers which reverses the usual order of such competition is announced and will close, December 18th, in an advertisement appearing in this issue. Instead of asking the contestant to buy something or write an essay about a product, the gas company announces that it wants to buy from its customers one-hundred good photographs of gas heating equipment.

"There is nothing to buy, no letters to write, in this contest," the company explains in announcing the contest which opens October 11 and will close December 18. "Your gas company and national manufacturers of heating appliances wish to obtain photos or snapshots illustrating various types of gas heating equipment used in the homes of this section. We need one hundred good photos or snapshots of home interiors that can be used to illustrate gas heating appliances. We want to buy these 100 photos from our gas customers and will pay \$10 each for the ten best submitted each week during the ten week contest. At the end of the ten week period grand prizes of \$100, \$75, \$50 and \$25 will be awarded for the four best entries submitted during the contest."

In explaining the reason for the contest, company officials said:

"One of the most difficult things to obtain is an interior view showing gas heating equipment in natural home surroundings. We have a definite need for such pictures, for experience has shown us that it is difficult for customers who wish to buy gas heating equipment to visualize how the appliance they are considering will look in their home. It will heat comfortably, but will it harmonize with other furniture, they wonder? The photos we hope to obtain through this contest will be of great assistance in helping them decide just which type of heating appliance will look best in their own home."

The contest is open to anyone living in a home supplied with gas by any of the Lone Star Gas System companies with the exception of professional photographers or others who may take pictures for commercial purposes, and Lone Star Gas System employees and their immediate families. Companies participating in the contest include Lone Star Gas Co., The Dallas Gas Co., County Gas Co., Texas Cities Gas Co. and Community Natural Gas Co. Entries may be submitted at the nearest gas company office or mailed directly to Lone Star Gas System Advertising Department, 305 South Harwood, Dallas. Folders giving complete information on the contest and showing sample pictures similar to those desired may be obtained from the gas company.

When HEADACHE Is Due to Constipation

Often one of the first-felt effects of constipation is a headache. Take a dose or two of Black-Draught!

That's the sensible way—relieve the constipation. Enjoy the refreshing relief which thousands of people have reported from the use of purely vegetable Black-Draught.

Sold in 25-cent packages.

BLACK-DRAUGHT

A GOOD LAXATIVE

Curiosa Americana

By Elmo Scott Watson

Immune

THE only man in the United States who can't be arrested is the President. At least, that's the law which says that during the Chief Executive's term he's immune from legal action except through the process of impeachment.

The fact is, however, that two Presidents have been arrested, although in neither case were they prosecuted. The first was President Franklin Pierce who one night in 1853 was returning from the home of William Morgan in Washington when his carriage ran down an aged woman. Constable Stan-

Harley Sadler's Large Tent Show to be in Hamlin

"ROSE OF THE RIO GRANDE"

TO PLAY HERE TWO NIGHTS ONLY

The amusement loving public of this section will have a real treat in store for it in the way of a good stage production when Harley Sadler's Own Company erects its mammoth tent theatre beautiful for TWO Hamlin night engagements, October 15 and 16.

There is an old saying that "variety is the spice of life," Harley Sadler promises just that! They carry a band and orchestra; the band will give a free concert in front of the big tent at 7 p. m. Kennedy Swann and his musical mavericks make their appearance for a fifteen minute program preceding the rise of the curtain on one of the Southwest's most romantic plays, a comedy drama in three acts, "Rose of the Rio Grande," according to the management, which possesses all the qualities of a perfect evening's entertainment, laughter, romance, villainy, pathos, and comedy. Special scenery and electrical effects are provided and a first class production is promised. Between the acts of this romantic comedy drama, high class vaudeville will be given, which will include the Big State Quartet, the Range Riders string band, the Nulls, Donald and Myrtle, high class entertainers, Sputters himself, Denver Crumpler, radio tenor, Billy Mack, eccentric dancer; Musical Andrews from the Ozarks.

According to the management the big tent theatre is positively waterproof, so as to be comfortable, regardless of weather conditions.

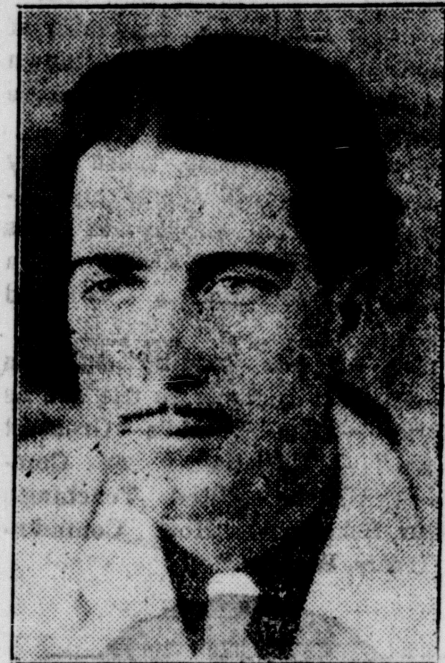
For some twenty years this organization has been playing in Texas territory and is always cordially received by large crowds because their entertainment is represented as being clean, high class and wholesome.

Popular prices will be in order of the day when they appear in Hamlin. General admission prices are only ten cents for the children and

twenty-five cents for adults. Several hundred seats are available at these prices. Special high back comfortable folding chairs may be obtained at a small additional price.

Remember—Oct. 15-16

The doors open at seven—the curtain rises promptly at eight o'clock.



DANVER CRUMPLE
Radio Tenor



BILLIE MACK
Eccentric Dancer

ley Edelin, who saw the accident, immediately arrested the occupant of the carriage but released him at once when he learned who his prisoner was.

The second was President Ulysses S. Grant who was arrested for fast driving! Grant was clipping along M street in a buggy drawn by a fast-stepping trotter when Policeman William H. West stopped him. Upon recognizing the President, the policeman began an abject apology but Grant said "Officer, do your duty!" and insisted that charges be preferred against him. The police records of Washington contain no mention of the incident so evidently the President, although he was "arrested," was not "booked."

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The local newspaper is the best friend to any worthy business enterprise. Merchants who fail to use the town paper, fail to get their message over to the people.

MOBILIZING AGAINST ACCIDENTS

Ten thousand men and women will mobilize for war on accidents at the Twenty-sixth National Safety Congress and Exposition which will be held from October 11th to 15th in Kansas City, Missouri.

Accidents—which killed 111,000 Americans and injured ten million in 1936—will be given microscopic from death and injury, but the final study. More than 400 speakers will

discuss accident prevention in the home, on the farm, on streets and highways, in industry, in schools, in the air and at sea. The meeting will attract accident prevention experts and students from every corner of the United States and a number of foreign countries.

The work that is done at this Congress can be of immense potential value, if the public will cooperate. But the best plan in the world can do little if the attitude of public indifference toward the hazards that menace life and property continues. The finest accident prevention program ever devised is relatively useless without enthusiastic public cooperation and support. The most complete surveys of the cause of accidents are valueless if no attention is paid to them. Final public benefit will rest with the public—John Jones' life can't be saved if John Jones is too lazy to help.

Accident prevention is an individual problem. It is up to each of us to take the simple steps that suffice to prevent the bulk of accidents, minor and major, within the home, in business, on the highways or elsewhere. Passing the buck doesn't work.

This coming Safety Congress will be the largest and most important ever held. Experts and humanitarians will do everything in their power in the interest of saving us 1936—will be given microscopic from death and injury, but the final study. More than 400 speakers will

Bryant-Link Co.
HAMLIN, TEXAS

The Fashion Watchword
is "Guard Your Hipline"



The straighter skirt is NEWS for Fall—and that means a slimmer hipline for YOU. This Gossard step-in is of figured batiste and matching elastic batiste, with a slide fastener closing.

Model 5056..... \$5
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Model 8054

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Fabrics FOR FALL

You'll find us well prepared to meet the footwear requirements of the popular garment textiles of the day. We feature "FOOT-FASHION" styles of the season.



\$5.95

Bryant-Link Co.

"53 YEARS IN JONES COUNTY"

Hamlin,

:-:

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Texas

Do you like to take PHOTOGRAPHS?



This sample photo illustrating a radiant circulating type gas heater was taken in the home of one of our customers.

5 Simple Rules of the "Heating Photo Contest"

1. All photos must include a view of the gas heating equipment used to heat the room or adjoining room in which the photo is taken. (See sample)
2. The house in which you reside must receive its gas service from one of the companies of Lone Star Gas System and all photos submitted in the TEN WEEK CONTEST must be taken in a home served gas by one of the companies of Lone Star Gas System. These companies are: — Lone Star Gas Company; The Dallas Gas Company; County Gas Company; Community Natural Gas Company; Texas Cities Gas Company.
3. Employees of any company of Lone Star Gas System and their immediate families and professional photographers or persons engaged in the business of making photographs for commercial purposes are not eligible to enter this Heating Photo Contest.
4. All photos submitted must have your name and address (including the town) PRINTED PLAINLY ON A SEPARATE PIECE OF PAPER AND PASTED TO THE BACK OF EACH PHOTO ENTERED IN THE CONTEST.
5. All photos submitted should be delivered to your local gas company office or mailed to LONE STAR GAS SYSTEM, ADVERTISING DEPARTMENT, 305 S. HARWOOD ST., DALLAS, TEXAS.

The contest is for a TEN WEEK Period from October 11, 1937 to December 18, 1937 (inclusive). All photos submitted will become the property of Lone Star Gas System to be used as desired by the company. Photos entered in the contest will not be returned and weekly prize winners will be advised by letter. At the close of the ten week contest a complete list of prize winners will be available for your inspection at your nearest gas company office.

cash prizes for indoor photos showing heating appliances

Your gas company and national manufacturers of gas heating appliances wish to obtain photos or "snapshots" illustrating gas heating equipment used in homes of this section.

We want to buy one hundred photos showing interior views of living rooms, dining rooms, bed rooms or any other room in the house. All photos submitted to the judging committee must conform to the rules of the contest and must include a view of gas heating equipment. Also, every photo or "snapshot" submitted in the contest must be taken in a home served gas by one of the companies of Lone Star Gas System and the person submitting the photo must reside in a home receiving gas service from one of these companies. (See Contest Rule No. 2 for details)

Nothing to Buy . . . No Letters to Write!

We are interested in photos ONLY. Include any type of gas heating appliance such as a gas floor furnace, a gas circulating heater, a gasteam radiator or an individual room heater of the gas radiant type. Select a view of a room that shows some type of gas heating appliance and

send it in. There is nothing to buy, no letters to write, to make your entry eligible for a prize.

Read the five simple rules of the contest carefully and send your entries promptly each week. The contest extends from October 11, 1937 to December 18, 1937, inclusive.

CASH PRIZES

Ten weekly prizes of \$10.00 each will be awarded the best photos submitted each week. A total of one hundred prizes of \$10.00 each for the best one hundred photos submitted during the TEN WEEK CONTEST. At the close of the Photo Contest additional prizes of \$100.00, \$75.00, \$50.00, and \$25.00 respectively will be awarded the four photos selected as the best entered during the TEN WEEK CONTEST.

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Uncommon Americans

By Elmo Scott Watson

He Saved an Empress

IF IT had not been for the resourcefulness and courage of an American dentist, the last empress of the French might have met death at the hands of an infuriated mob of revolutionists and another tragic chapter might have been written in the history of deposed royalty in that country. The empress was Eugenie, wife of Napoleon III, and the man who saved her was a Dr. Thomas W. Evans.

Not long after Louis Napoleon became emperor, Dr. Evans was made court dentist of the second empire. At that time dentistry was not the respected profession that it is today. But such was the genius of this former Philadelphian that he was held in equal esteem with all of Napoleon's ministers.

So on September 2, 1870, when news of the disaster at Sedan reached Paris and a bloodthirsty populace began clamoring at the gates of the Tuilleries and threatening the life of the empress, she said to the officers of the palace guard "I will go to Dr. Evans. He is an American. I am sure he will render us every assistance we require." With only a veil as a disguise and accompanied by one of her servants, the empress fled by a secret passage to where a carriage was waiting for her. Then she was driven in safety to Dr. Evans' home, only to find him absent.

When he returned, he realized that it would be dangerous for the empress to try to escape then, so she and her servant spent the night there. Meanwhile Dr. Evans had engaged a private carriage and the next morning he started out with the royal fugitive on a perilous journey.

Everywhere soldiers were on the look-out for the empress but the quick-witted action and ingenious ruses of the American, more than once prevented their capture. By spending his own money freely he brought Eugenie in safety to the coast and there he persuaded the owner of an English yacht to take her to England.

Dr. Evans continued his practice in both France and America, and his inventions in his profession made him world famous. He later became one of the founders of the Red Cross society, and upon his death in 1896 he bequeathed his entire fortune of some twelve millions to American institutions.

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Uncommon Americans

By Elmo Scott Watson

Schoolmaster of a Nation

HE WAS "the most popular American of the Nineteenth century, the man who had the largest influence in determining the thoughts and ideals of the American people during that period and the man to whose work many great Americans of the present day pay tribute as being the fountain of their inspiration to aspire and to achieve." He was William Holmes McGuffey, the "Schoolmaster of a Nation."

Born in Pennsylvania in 1800, McGuffey became a pioneer teacher in Kentucky after his graduation from a little college in his native state and later was offered a position on the faculty of Miami university in Ohio. Recognizing the lack of good reading material in the common schools of those days, McGuffey resolved to do something about it.

The result was the publication in 1836 of the first and in 1837 the second of a graded set of readers. The next year he published a third and a fourth reader. Then, with the help of his brother, Alexander McGuffey, who aided in the revision of the earlier works and collected much of the material for the next two, he issued his fifth and sixth Eclectic Readers.

McGuffey not only had a keen literary sense but he was also able to select from the world's best literature selections that appealed to children. That fact, combined with the high moral tone of the selections, which recommended them to parents trying to bring their children up in the way they should go, gave his readers great popularity. They sold by the millions in this country and were translated into many foreign languages so that the McGuffey influence was extended to other lands.

How great that influence was—especially in this country—it is impossible to estimate. But there is no doubt that the serious purpose of the McGuffey Eclectic Readers, their kindly spirit and their teachings of the essential virtues made children of an earlier generation better men and women today. At least, that is the unanimous testimony of many American notables—authors, educators, industrialists, statesmen—not to mention thousands of "just plain folks" who belong to the numerous "McGuffey Societies" and who at regular intervals gather together to read again their favorite selections from the Eclectic Readers.

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McCAULEY MATTERS

By JOHN P. HARDESTY

Miss Nell Riney, teacher in the local high school, is at the bedside of her father, W. A. Riney, Abilene, who is not expected to recover from a long illness. Mrs. Melvin Courtney is supplying for Miss Riney in her absence.

Mrs. Maurine Wall of Pecos, is visiting in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Miers, and with other relatives and friends in this community.

Sherry Maude is the name of the little girl baby recently born to Mr. and Mrs. Ellis Eivens.

Mr. Harvey Greenfield and family have taken rooms with the J. H. Millap family. Mr. Greenfield is the new section foreman for the Santa Fe railroad. He transferred from Sagerton to McCauley.

Miss Elizabeth Hendrickson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Hendrickson, who is taking a training course in Hendrick Memorial Hospital, Abilene, is visited with her parents over the week-end.

Miss Latane Akins, student in Hardin-Simmons University, was a week-end visitor with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Akins. Miss June Parker, McMurry student was also a visitor with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Hub Parker.

At the annual meeting of Fisher County Baptist Association at Cross Roads, last week, Rev. D. G. Reid, of Roby, was re-elected Moderator and John P. Hardesty, of McCauley was re-elected Clerk-Treasurer. The 1938 session will be held with the McCauley Baptist Church. Those attending from here were pastor and Mrs. Hardesty, Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Johnson and Mr. J. M. Johnson.

Mrs. Smith of Rotan, mother of

Supt. D. L. Smith of the Public Schools, was a visitor in her son's home, Sunday. She was a welcome guest at the Baptist church services also.

Miss Jewel Davidson, teacher in the Forsan Public Schools, was a week-end visitor with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Davidson.

Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Akins, Mrs. D. C. Mills, Dorothy Mills, and Mrs. Clyde Mills, of Snyder, made a week-end visit with the family of Alton Mills at Crowell. Mrs. Clyde Mills is spending some time with the Mills family here.

Mrs. Smith of Winters is visiting in the home of her daughter, Mrs. Roy Hennington.

J. M. Johnson and Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Johnson, made a brief visit with relatives at Snyder, Sunday.

Miss Lena Faulkenberry, who is employed by Montgomery Ward, Ft. Worth made a weeks visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ira Faulkenberry, and other relatives and friends.

Mr. Winston Moore, of Clyde, nephew of Mrs. B. F. Short was a visitor in the B. F. Short home over the week-end, and attended services at the Baptist Church at the morning services.

Rowland Stephenson, who recently went to Washington, D. C. to accept a position in the civil service, writes his mother, Mrs. W. H. Stephenson, that he is highly pleased with his new work, and enjoying the National Capitol atmosphere.

Dr. and Mrs. Gill, lately of Little Rock Ark., and who recently spent some time recuperating at Mineral Wells, are guests in the home of Dr. Gill's brother, B. B. Gill and wife.

Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Miers made a flying trip to Ft. Worth, last Friday taking in the baseball game and the Frontier Fiesta. R. L. (Red) is our

Curiosa Americana

By Elmo Scott Watson

Middle Name

IF FRANKLIN DELANO ROOSEVELT is defeated in his campaign for re-election this year, that middle name, "Delano," may be the reason. That is, it will if history repeats itself.

Only one President who used his middle name has ever been successful in seeking re-election. He was Ulysses Simpson Grant. John Quincy Adams wasn't able to survive the handicap of a middle name, nor was James Knox Polk, Rutherford Birchard Hayes, William Howard Taft or Herbert Clark Hoover.

Of course, John Calvin Coolidge and Thomas Woodrow Wilson were re-elected, but Coolidge dropped the "John" and Wilson discarded the "Thomas." There may or may not be anything in this matter of a middle name being a handicap to re-election, but the fact remains that the Presidents who were elected for a second term were "two-namers"—George Washington, Thomas Jefferson, James Madison, James Monroe, Andrew Jackson, Abraham Lincoln, Grover Cleveland, William McKinley and Theodore Roosevelt.

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The Deaf Girl's Gift

EVERY time you take advantage of the convenience of a telephone, give thanks to a deaf girl and the love for her which spurred on a young inventor until he perfected the instrument which is now in common use in every American home and office. Her name was Mabel Hubbard and she was deaf from the age of four, as the result of scarlet fever. So her father, Gardiner Greene Hubbard, a Boston lawyer, sent her to Germany to learn lip-reading to help her overcome her handicap.

While she was abroad, a young Scotchman named Alexander Graham Bell, came to Boston. He was the son of Alexander Melville Bell, a teacher of elocution in Newfoundland, author of a well-known book, "Visible Speech," and inventor of a system of stenography. Young "Alek" Bell had helped his father teach his new system of "visible speech" and also aided him on the lecture platform. In Boston he opened a school of vocal physiology and Lawyer Hubbard became interested in his work.

He invited Bell to his home and there the inventor met Mabel Hubbard, just returned from her studies in Germany. Bell promptly fell in love with the girl, and her plight kept him busy at his project to "devise an apparatus that might help deaf children." This apparatus later was to develop into the telephone.

In November, 1875, Mabel Hubbard accepted Bell's proposal of marriage. At the Centennial exposition in Philadelphia the next year, Bell's invention of the telephone was the sensation of the day. On July 11, 1877, he and Mabel Hubbard were married. For his wedding gift Bell made over all his interest in the telephone to his bride—a more princely gift than he could possibly have realized at the time that it would prove to be.

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genial County Commissioner of the McCauley precinct.

Farmers of this community are quite busy harvesting cotton and feed. The population has increased considerably the last few days. The Saturday afternoon crowd in McCauley looks like a little Mexico, when the pickers come in for their week-end shopping. The two gins are running till near midnight in order to keep up with the ginning. Several trucks are kept busy hauling off seed and bales to Hamlin.

Mrs. Raymond Tanner, who has been convalescing for several days from illness at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Jackson, returned to her home in Dumas, Sunday, where her husband is employed in the First State Bank.

Miss Velma Miles, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Miles, is convalescing from a ten days illness.

Mrs. A. M. Turner is on the sick list. She was improving at last report.

Since the writer of this column is not omniscient, i.e., does not know everything that takes place, he would appreciate any news happenings you may hand him. We would like to make it worth while, and with a little co-operation it can be made so. Do this by Tuesday of each week.

And if you would like to be a regular reader of the HERALD, please hand us a dollar. This would help three—YOURSELF, THE HERALD and Me.

GRAND JURY MAKES HOT REPORT

THE STATE OF TEXAS,
COUNTY OF JONES.

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF
JONES COUNTY, TEXAS,

SEPT. TERM, A. D. 1937

TO THE HON. W. R. CHAPMAN,
Judge of Said Court:

Come now your Grand Jury for the September, A. D. 1937, Term of the District Court of Jones County, Texas, and makes this its final report, as follows:

We have been in session a total of 5 days, during this time we have investigated 45 felony cases and numerous misdemeanor cases. In the investigation of these felony and misdemeanor cases we have examined a total of 128 witnesses. We have re-

turned 31 felony indictments and 3 misdemeanor indictments.

We have the following recommendations to make to the people of Jones County:

Since fines and jail sentences do not seem to cure drunken driving and the selling of intoxicating liquors in dry territory, we recommend that Jones County, through its Commissioners Court or whatever is the proper medium, provide for the working of jail prisoners on county roads or on public works projects.

We further recommend that all citizens of Jones County co-operate with all peace officers and prosecuting officers in the apprehension and conviction of offenders of this class, namely, drunken drivers and sellers of intoxicating liquors in dry territory.

We deplore the fact that too many of our citizens will come into the Grand Jury, and, under a sacred oath, falsify or give false testimony to shield a seller of bootleg liquor. Every citizen, regardless of whether or not he buys illicit liquors from a bootlegger, ought to regard the sanctity of his oath and his duty as a citizen in a higher and more sacred light.

We further recognize the fact and desire to point out to our law abiding citizens that even if our peace officers and prosecuting attorneys apprehended and convicted every bootlegger in Jones County, there is still the drug store saloon from which any person may obtain intoxicating liquors of every brand and variety, although same is supposed to be sold only for medical purposes.

We earnestly recommend that every law-abiding citizen who believes in the strict enforcement of the prohibition laws of Jones County and who deplores the appalling loss of life, to say nothing of the maimed and crippled, caused by the reckless

and wanton killer drunk on whiskey, rum or gin bought for medical purposes at a drug store saloon, to patronize only those drug stores which are willing to say in their public and paid newspaper advertisements that they do not have a permit to sell intoxicating liquors and that they do not fill whiskey prescriptions.

We want to point out further that under our present prohibition laws in Jones County, although the citizens of Jones County have never voted to LEGALIZE beer or liquor in any shape, form or fashion, we are, through our drug store saloons and the present laws of Texas governing intoxicating liquors and beer in dry territory, as wet as the proverbial Pacific Ocean. We point out that under the present law governing dry territory every adult person is permitted to keep on hand one case of beer per day for his or her own use, one quart of whiskey, and to transport same through dry territory to his home in dry territory.

Finally, we desire to point out to our people that out of the 31 felony indictments returned by this Grand Jury, 12 of the indictments were for driving a car while intoxicated, and that out of 26 defendants indicted 12 defendants were indicted for drunken driving.

We recommend to our member in the legislature, Travis Dean, and to our State Senator, Wilbourne B. Collier, and to our Governor and legislature that the matter of our prohibition laws be submitted to this special session off the legislature and that something be done to protect the people living in dry territory from drug store saloons and prohibition laws that do not prohibit.

By J. Spurgeon Reeves, Foreman.
Concurred in by all members of the Grand Jury and this report drafted by the District Attorney.

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AUTUMN THEME

USED IN PARTY

Roses and other autumn flowers decorated rooms in the home of Mrs. R. H. McCurdy, Thursday and Friday afternoons when Mrs. McCurdy and Mrs. A. D. Ensey entertained two groups of friends with bridge. The autumn theme was further accentuated in attractive hand painted tallies which marked places at the bridge tables. Thursday afternoon Mrs. Paul A. Fowler received the high score prize and Mrs. John Ed Day received the low score prize. In the games Friday afternoon Mrs. M. T. Woodward was awarded the high score prize while the low score prize went to Miss Allie Whiteley. An attractive salad plate with iced tea was served.

The guest list included Meses. G. H. Tumlin, John Ed Day, John T. Day, J. F. Taylor, A. E. Pardue, Q. Martin, Elmer Feagan, Bob Johnson, F. R. Moore, Gerald Morgan, J. B. Eakin, M. T. Woodward, J. P. Morgan, Jack Estes, R. D. Moore, B. L. Jones, H. O. Cassle, Grogan Turner, Clinton Barrow, Bill Rountree, W. F. Johnson, Aris Jones, Henry Albritton, B. M. Brundage, J. C. Culbertson, J. L. Keen, R. B. Wiar, J. E. Bury, R. W. Calhoun, P. A. Fowler, D. D. Harden, M. T. Hudson, J. O. Jones, Tom Williams, Art Carmichael, J. Frank Johnson, Lowell Balley, D. J. Payne, J. M. Bullard, F. D. Wells, Heflin Miller, Hank Harland, R. F. Andrus, Mrs. M. Smith and Mrs. O. L. Taulman, Anson, Mrs. Paul Fraser, Rotan; Misses Adell Dickson, Nadine Morgan and Allie Whiteley.

TUESDAY CLUB

OPENS YEAR

AT MRS. CASSLE'S

Mrs. H. O. Cassle was hostess to the Tuesday club in their first meeting for the season, in her home on Union Avenue, Tuesday afternoon.

Three tables of bridge were in play with Mrs. John T. Day holding high score for the club and Mrs. J. F. Taylor for te guests.

Following the games the hostess passed a plate holding ambrosia chiffon pie, cheese balls and punch to Meses. John T. Day, J. C. Culbertson, J. L. Keen, W. F. Johnson, D. O. Sauls, R. B. Wiar, W. J. Poe, D. D. Harden, J. F. Taylor, J. O. Jones and Miss Pearl Whiteley.

MISSIONARY SOCIETY

Mrs. J. O. Jones and Mrs. D. O. Sauls were joint hostesses to the Woman's Missionary Society, Monday afternoon.

Mrs. Yokum was leader of an interesting program, the theme being "I love Thy Kingdom Lord." She was assisted by Meses. Wiar, Clinton Barrow and Bill Rountree.

A salad plate with tea was enjoyed by 16 members.

Plans were made for the Zone Meeting, which will be held at the Methodist Church, Thursday, beginning at ten o'clock A. M.

PARENT-TEACHER ASSOCIATION

WILL HOLD JOINT MEETING

The Executive Boards of both the High School and Elementary P. T. A. met in joint session, Friday afternoon, Sept. 24, in the Elementary School Building, to discuss plans for the coming year.

Mrs. Cherry, Pres., of High School P. T. A. presided. It was agreed that our first meeting should be a joint session of both associations, Thursday, October 4th, 7:30, in the High School Auditorium. This meeting is to be a social as well as a business session.

Each parent and teacher is urged to attend this meeting.

IN NEW LOCATION

J. B. Bowman, the Shoe Man, is located in the building formerly occupied by the pool hall.

His shop is looking better each day. A new Shoe Dresser has been installed and ere long other new things will be added. A fire can't keep a good man down.

THE REST OF THE RECORD

BY JAMES V. ALLRED
Governor of Texas

AUSTIN—The opening week of the second extraordinary session of the 45th Legislature has arrived and again the legislative chambers of the capitol are filled with the people's representatives.

As Governor, I felt it imperative to convene the session in order that the Legislature might pass laws levying taxes to raise revenues sufficient to provide adequately for:

1. The wiping out of the deficit in the General Fund and to make income equal outgo from said fund.
2. To provide additional funds to be allocated for old age assistance.
3. To provide for aid to the needy blind, the dependent, neglected and needy children, and to take care of the state's portion under the teachers' retirement amendment act.

Let me review briefly these points of the call:

First: The general fund of this state at present is operating under a deficit approximating fifteen million dollars with the income into the fund lacking four and a half million dollars per year of equalling its outgo. The legislature at the recent regular session increased appropriations approximately four million dollars per year without providing a single penny of additional revenue to care for either the deficit or the increased appropriations.

It seems only good business—for a state or an individual—that income should equal outgo and that a deficit should be wiped out.

Second: At the regular session last January, I recommended that additional moneys be placed in the old age assistance fund. That fund is now in debt \$1,626,000.00 on outstanding warrants and the Board of Control estimates that in addition we need to allocate approximately two million dollars annually to this fund. In my opinion, the old Legislature should provide this additional revenue for the old age assistance fund in order to care for the actual need.

Third: At a special election held on August 23, 1937, the people adopted amendments to the Constitution to authorize the state to aid the needy blind and provide help for the needy, neglected and dependent children of this state under provisions of the National Social Security Law. The amendment providing for this participation by the state under the social security program required the state's share not to exceed \$1,500,000.00 per year.

The regular session of the 44th Legislature submitted a constitutional amendment providing a teacher retirement system for Texas which the people approved by popular vote. The 45th Legislature passed a law to make the amendment effective. State Auditor Tom King has estimated a minimum need of \$1,360,550.00 and a maximum of \$1,683,750.00 as the state's share in matching contributions by teachers for their retirement system.

In previous releases of "The Rest of the Record," I have stated my position in limiting this session to revenue raising purposes only. No one can deny that it is my duty as Governor to recommend a revenue program to finance the people's program.

It is the duty of the Legislature of this state to provide revenues for the operation of the government, and in my opinion, it is certainly the duty of the Legislature to provide revenues to take care of the appropriations they have made themselves and to carry out the people's will as manifested in the adoption of these constitutional amendments.

No other session has offered a more patriotic opportunity for the people's representatives. In the interest of the six million whom we represent, I fervently hope that the members of the 45th Legislature will face squarely the issues and pass the revenues necessary for the people's program.

Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Nicholson, of Monahans, were here this week visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Nicholson.

Points and Personalities

by doris pope

There was a time, not so long ago when the male sex continually complained and fussed about the money that women "throw away" in beauty parlors. However, not all was in vain, for in our recent observation, we note that some of our most prominent (and handsome) male citizens are regular patrons in the "formerly scorned shops." And, say, a woman may look queer all done up under a permanent wave machine, but is there anything "queerer looking" than a man who dons a hair net and perches under a dryer? Then, too, have you noted the great number of men who wear nail polish?

Don't give up, girls, your money is not wasted after all—at least the men don't think so.

What prominent lady, who manages the ready-to-wear department of one of our leading stores, keeps very close tab on all Santa Fe trains—especially those coming in?

We understand that a certain well known farmer and stockman has recently taken up the study of music and has been heard crooning do-re-me-fa so la. Do you suppose that could be the influence of the company he has been keeping?

Of all the dirty tricks that have come to our attention, this takes the prize. While a very popular Alabama son had to remain in bed during the past few days because of a severe cold, a tall, sandy-haired young fellow with a very cheerful disposition has been courting the charming young miss with the Mississippi drawl. Maybe it's friendship, but it certainly looks fishy.

We have heard of people getting splinters in that particular part of their anatomy by sliding down cellar doors or by slipping in the window after 11:00. However, we have been unable to get the attractive young lady who clerks in one of our prominent dry goods stores (which starts with "H") to

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confess just how and when she got the splinter that has been causing her to carry a cushion all week.

Personality of the week: An ex-mayor of our city who is now road commissioner of Jones County. He landed in Hamlin about a quarter of a century ago with a shaving mug and a razor strap, \$1.40 and a lot of determination. From then on he managed to stick through bad times and good times and by hard work and perseverance, has become one of Hamlin's substantial property owners. He is famous for his "Howdy Neighbor" spirit.

The most puzzling question this week is why has Slow Ferguson suddenly become so interested in the project to pave the road between Hamlin and Rotan.

Did you hear about the very well known Hamlin couple, who are interested in fire insurance, who went to the fire Monday night and the firemen turned the hose on them? That's really a hot romance.

We were told that a certain attractive young blond recently moved to our fair city, has her eyes turned definitely toward a very likeable red-headed grocery clerk.

In a report recently received from Waco, we learned that a popular law student of Baylor University has decided to change his course and begin the study of Agriculture.

If you want to get one of Hamlin's best known lawyers in a very good humor, just call him by his

latest and favorite "pet" name. "Ducky Bug." Isn't that cute?

Have you heard the detailed account of his recent appendix operation as told by the prominent bookkeeper of one of our local department stores? He claims to have a very artistic scar.

What fair young maiden goes courting Sunday noon attired in a bright flowered house-coat? We're wondering if she's setting a new style for the younger generation?

They are just a couple of "love birds" in public, but we can't keep from wondering why a charming young matron of our city has been "crippled" for the past week.

What well known stenographer is sooooo proud of her NEW shoes?

KNOW TEXAS

By F. L. McDONALD, T. S. C. W.
NEWS BUREAU, DENTON

Mr. Average Farmer

Any man owning 275 acres of land worth about \$18.70 an acre can consider himself an average Texas farmer. The 137,600,000 acres devoted to farming in this state are divided into over 501,000 farms, which range in size from tiny patches to tracts covering thousands of acres. The average farm, valued by the 1935 census at \$5,137, is worth almost exactly the same amount as in 1910. Between that

time and the present the highest value was in 1920, when Mr. Average Farmer was worth \$8,486.

Texas Middletowns

Although Texas has not worked out a sociological Middletown, it has several geographical ones. Fort Worth is located almost exactly midway between the Atlantic and Pacific Oceans. The actual center of Texas is slightly northeast of Brady, and the center of gravity of population is about four counties east of there, near McGregor.

Earrings to Spare

Texas beauties could deck themselves very sumptuously with precious gems even if all imports of jewelry into the state were suddenly discontinued. Although only about 20 per cent of the known metals in Texas are commercially exploited, jewels and ornamental stones which are available include agate, amethyst, onyx, jasper, opal, serpentine, topaz and turquoise. pearls have also been discovered in the San Saba river. These raw materials, combined with the 376 jewelry factories now operating in Texas and valued at nearly twelve million dollars, could be turned into a considerable supply all on their own.

The combined flow of the New Braunfels and San Marcos springs amounts to 295,000,000 gallons per day or enough to supply nearly one third of the water consumption of New York City, according to Texas Planning Board engineers.

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Mrs. EARL BROWN, Correspondent

Oran Foote, who has been working at Kermit, is at home now.

Mrs. Alvin Dean is visiting relatives at Lubbock.

Mrs. Viola Brown, who has spent the summer with her sons, in Mineola and Wynnboro, is at home with her daughter, Mrs. Sam Tindal and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Judge Crow visited Mrs. Eric Crow, Sunday. Mrs. Crow is ill in Abilene.

We are glad to have Mr. and Mrs. Jim Ferguson move into our community. They are living on Mrs. Tom Dunn's place.

The young people of our community organized a B. T. U., at the Baptist Church, Sunday evening. Wortham Crow was elected Pres.

Mrs. Eldon Pope left Sunday as a delegate from our Home Demonstration Club to attend the State H. D. Association in San Antonio.

The Home Demonstration Club met with Mrs. Bob Misteard, on Monday afternoon. Cake baking was discussed by Miss Martin, after which delicious ice cream was served by the hostess.

Strength During MIDDLE LIFE

Strength is extra-important for women going through the change of life. Then the body needs the very best nourishment to fortify it against the changes that are taking place.

In such cases, Cardui has proved helpful to many women. It increases the appetite and aids digestion, favoring more complete transformation of food into living tissue, resulting in improved nutrition and building up and strengthening of the whole system.

"Say, Dad, what keeps us from falling off the earth when we are upside down?"
"Why, the law of gravity, of course, my son."
"Well, how did the folks stay on before the law was passed?"

Texas Planning Board engineers have discovered that Texas cedar sawdust, when properly treated and moulded, makes perfect board panels and is an excellent sounding board for musical instruments.

HAMLIN HOSPITAL NOTES

Miss Willard Bristow, Hamlin underwent minor surgery, Thursday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Vaughan, are the proud parents of an 8½ pound boy, born Sept. 24th. Mrs. Vaughan and little Sammie Frank were released from the hospital Sept. 27th.

Mr. and Mrs. H. V. Brown, Aspermont, are the happy parents of a nine and one half pound girl, born Sept. 24th. Mrs. Brown and little Sarah La Nell are reported to be in good condition.

Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Smith, Hamlin are the proud parents of an 8 lb. girl, born Sept. 25th. Mrs. Smith and little Hazel Virginia were released from the hospital Sept. 28th.

Little Patsy Ballew, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Ballew underwent a tonsillectomy and adenoidectomy, Tuesday, Sept. 28th.

Grady Boyd and Robert Donald, sons of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Gillispie, Aspermont, had minor surgery Tuesday afternoon, Sept. 28th.

Little Dorothy Bill Dean, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. S. L. Dean, had tonsillectomy, Sept. 29th.

Little Sherry Ann Willingham, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bob Willingham, Abilene had tonsillectomy, Sept. 29th.

Mrs. S. V. Locke, Hamlin was released from the hospital, Sept. 29th.

Miss Wanda Sebastain was released from the hospital, Sept. 29th. Miss Sebastain will soon be able to continue her school work, after undergoing an appendectomy, last week.

Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Maberry, Sylvestor, are proud parents of a 8 and one-half pound girl, born Sept. 29th.

Mrs. Maberry and little Sandra Jean are doing good.

Miss Ethel Fleming, Surgical Supervisor of the Winter's Hospital spent the afternoon with Miss Myrtle Lee Cohorn, Tuesday.

Classified Ads

FRONT BED ROOM

For rent, all conveniences, private garage.—Men only. Phone 162.

LOST—1 white face calf, weighs about 375 pounds, from my farm, about nine miles South East from Hamlin. —J. W. EZELL.

—LOST:

A small black coin purse with two sections, containing one \$10.00 bill five \$1.00 bills, several half-dollars and other small change, somewhere in Hamlin, Sunday night. Finder return to MRS. LELIA NOLEN at Hamlin Hotel for reward. (p)

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Have good electric washing machine, new motor, for sale.

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G. D. Bynum and Jim White, of Colorado, were here Friday, to visit Dr. and Mrs. J. T. Bynum.

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12 lbs. 55c 24 lbs. 95c 48 lbs. \$1.89

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Macaroni Lorna Brand 3 Pkgs. 10c

Pork & Beans

Phillips Can 5c

SAFEWAY STORES

OPEN SUNDAY MORNING Till Further Notice

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Wilkinson are announcing the birth of a daughter at their home, Sunday, September 26. The little lady weighs 8 and one-half pounds and her name is Bennie Doris.

Milton Bessire, son of Mr. and R. E. Bessire, resigned his position with the Cabot Oil Company to resume his work in Simmons University. Milton is doing his Senior years work and completing his Pre-Med requirements.

The Herald anywhere 1 yr., \$1.00.

"And whose dear little boy are you?" asked the affable stranger of John.

But John was a modern product and unhesitatingly replied: "The court awarded me to my mother."

Mrs. C. N. Dix and son, Charles of Wilmar, California, is visiting her mother, Mrs. T. B. Cooper and others of the family—Mrs. Cooper will likely return with them and spend the winter in California.

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Two small girls were having a tremendous argument.

"My daddy's a mounted policeman," said Betty. "He rides a horse all day."

"That's no better than being an ordinary policeman like my daddy," said Peggy proudly.

"Oh, but it is!" said the first child. "If there's any trouble, he can get away quicker."

Mrs. Vera Nobles and son, Warren Nobles, went to Lubbock, Sunday, where Warren entered Texas Tech to begin his Junior year. They were accompanied by Mrs. W. L. Boyd who visited her son, W. L. Jr., a student in Texas Tech.

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Mama: "What is it now, Edith?"

Edith—"When the man first started to write the word 'psalm,' with a 'p' why didn't he scratch it out and start over again?"